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(b) The Collector of North Arcot has sanctioned the prosecution of Sri R. Dharmalingam Chettiar, ex-President of the Vettavalam Panchayat for breach of trust in respect of three sums, viz., Rs. 101–25 nP., Rs. 711 and Rs. 739–42 nP. from out of the Vettavalam Panchayat funds during the term of his office.

Adult Education

*496 Q.—SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI (on behalf of SRI M. P. SUBRAMANIAM): Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) whether the teachers under the Salem District Board have been deputed for Adult Education Training conducted in 1957 at Thirukkazhukunram in Chingleput district;

(b) if so, how many of them have not been paid travelling allowance so far; and

(c) the reasons therefor?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) Out of 17 teachers deputed for training, two claimed their travelling allowance in time and payment has been made to them. Of the remaining 15 teachers, 11 have submitted their bills and these are under scrutiny. The remaining four teachers from whom bills have not yet been received, have been reminded to submit them. The delay in payment was due to the non-submission of bills by the teachers in time.

Higher studies (Foreign)

*497 Q.—SRI N. R. THIAGARAJAN: *கனம் நிதி அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்கு பதிலளிப் பாரா—*

(அ) 1957-ம் ஆண்டு ஏப்ரல் மாதம் 1-ம் தேதி முதல் 1960-ம் ஆண்டு மார்ச் மாதம் முடிய நமது ராஜ்யத்திலிருந்து கல்வி, கலா சாரம் முதலியன கற்க எத்தனை பேர்கள் வெளி நாடுகளுக்கு அனுப்பப்பட்டார்கள்?

(ஆ) அதில் மாணவர்கள் எத்தனை பேர்?

(இ) மற்றவர்கள் எத்தனை பேர்?

(ஈ) சர்க்கார் ஒவ்வொருவருக்கும் சராசரி எவ்வளவு பணம் உதவி தந்தது?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: (அ), (ஆ) (இ)–No student as such was sent abroad during the period, but 41 State Government employees were sent abroad for higher studies and research.

(ஈ) Out of the 41 officers, two were deputed under the Modified Overseas Scholarship Scheme of the Government of India, while the others were deputed for training taking advantage of offers made by foreign Governments and agencies. The